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Outer front cover, p 1, pp 6 - 7: "You Are With Us, Lena," by A[rkadiy Antonovich] Stempkovskiy [her brother], UA4IC.
[About Yelena (Lena) Stempkovskaya, a radiowoman who was captured by the retreating German troops near Stalingrad, revealed nothing under torture, and was shot.] Shown on the cover, under a portrait of Yelena Stempkovskaya in uniform and an amateur radio map of the world, are five girls wearing T-shirts spelling out U2CES, a special-call station operated from the village of Mazurshchina [sp?], Minskaya oblast', Stempkovskaya's birthplace:
"U" - Master of Sport of the USSR Raya Volkova,
chief of collective station UC1AWA;
"2" - Natasha Sokolova, UC2AIU;
"C" - Sveta Khmelevskaya, UC2AAR;
"E" - Zina Nikitina, UC2AHY [given as UC2ANY at bottom of page 1 but UC2AHY appears on T-shirt and is assumed correct - Tr.];
"S" - Candidate Master of Sport Lena Akimova, UC2AIZ.
[Regarding the construction of the call-sign U2CES, the single letter prefix is incompatible with the post-1 May 1984 "letter-letter" system normally applicable to all but RSFSR stations; a club station in Minskaya oblast' should have the "letter-letter" combination C-C. Incidentally, the club station call UC1AWA and the four remaining girls' individual call-signs identify them as coming from the city of Minsk itself, which has the "letter-letter" combination C-A (oblast' 188), rather than from the surrounding Minskaya oblast' (oblast' 009), which has the combination C-C. Instead, the special call uses the "traditional" number 2 since the former second call area included the Belorussian SSR (capital: Minsk), plus C for Minskaya oblast'. The remaining letters of the call, ES, are Yelena Stempkovskaya's initials.]

[[[Editorial self-reminder: Following jumps ahead:]]]

p 15: "CQ-U" [Half the usual two-page length - Tr.]

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"CHANGE IN BAND LIMITS." [Full text.]
As of 1 January 1985 the limits of the 160-meter amateur band were changed for radioamateurs of the USSR. They [the amateurs] have been allotted [1] (on a secondary basis as formerly) the segment 1830 - 1930 kHz. On the frequencies 1830 - 1860 kHz only telegraph is permitted, on 1860 - 1900 kHz telegraph and singlesideband modulation (lower side band), [and] on 1900 - 1930 kHz telegraph, singlesideband modulation (lower side band), and amplitude modulation.

[1] In Russian im vydelen, from the verb vydelit', to allot; the correct term is believed to be respredelit', to allocate, since the frequency distribution is to a service (the amateur service), not a country or area.